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Appl. No.: 09/993,751

Group Art Unit: 1638

Filed: November 16, 2001

Examiner: Kruse, David H.

For: BRASSICA WITH RESISTANCE TO AN AHAS-INHIBITOR HERBICIDE AND  
BLACKLEG DISEASE

Commissioner for Patents  
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TRANSMITTAL- AMENDMENT

Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application.

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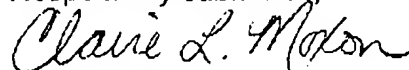
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Respectfully submitted,



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**AMENDMENT**

Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed July 30, 2003, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

**Amendments to the Specification** begin on page 2 of this paper.

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 4 of this paper.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 9 of this paper.

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